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Sir:

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

U.S. patent documents set forth on the attached PTO form PTO/SB/08a.

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

1. European Patent Publication No. 0121617 A1 published October 17, 1984, in English.

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2. Soviet Union Patent Publication No. 1632978 A published March 7, 1991, in Russian. An English abstract is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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